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Claim 1. (currently amended) A towel warmer and dryer cabinet,
comprising

- a) a hollow cabinet having an open front side and laterally spaced side walls,**
- 5 b) a towel rod support frame having laterally spaced frame members positioned adjacent the lateral side walls of the cabinet for supporting a towel support rod adjacent the upper end of the open front side of said cabinet,**
- c) at least one towel support rod extending between and supported by said frame members adjacent the upper end of the open front side of said cabinet**
- 10 for hanging a towel vertically downward from said rod toward the bottom of said cabinet, and**
- d) securing means on the cabinet side walls for mounting said support frame for movement of said at least one towel support rod through said open front side of the cabinet between a position retracted within the cabinet and a position**
- 15 extended forwardly of and adjacent the upper end of said open front end of the cabinet.**

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Claim 2. (original) The towel warmer and dryer cabinet of claim 1 including means for supplying heated air current movement from within the cabinet forwardly through said open front side of the cabinet.

Claim 3. (currently amended) The towel warmer and dryer cabinet of claim 1 wherein the support frame [mounting] securing means comprises pivot means interengaging the support frame and cabinet adjacent the bottom end of the support frame for moving said at least one towel support rod arcuately through said open front side of the cabinet between said retracted and extended positions.

Claim 4. (currently amended) The towel warmer and dryer cabinet of claim 1 wherein the support frame [mounting] securing means comprises [a pair of towel rod support members supporting said at least one towel support rod between them, and] track means in the cabinet slidably supporting the towel rod support members for rectilinear movement of said at least one towel support rod through the open front side of the cabinet between said retracted and extended positions.

Claim 5. (previously added) The towel warmer and dryer cabinet of claim 1 wherein the cabinet includes back and top members extending between said spaced side walls, a lavatory bowl supported by said top member, and drain means extending from the lavatory bowl downwardly through the cabinet adjacent said back member.

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Claim 6. (previously added) The towel warmer and dryer cabinet of claim 1
including a front panel supported pivotally on the upper end of the towel rod
support frame for movement of said front panel between a retracted position
substantially closing the open front side of said cabinet in the retracted position of
5 said towel rod support frame and an extended position hanging downwardly and
forwardly of said open front side of said cabinet in the extended position of said
towel rod support frame.

Claim 7. (previously added) The towel warmer and dryer cabinet of claim 3
including a front panel supported pivotally on the upper end of the towel rod
support frame for movement of said front panel between a retracted position
substantially closing the open front side of said cabinet in the retracted position of
5 said towel rod support frame and an extended position hanging downwardly and
forwardly of said open front side of said cabinet in the extended position of said
towel rod support frame.

Claim 8. (previously added) The towel warmer and dryer cabinet of claim 1
wherein the cabinet bottom is open and a source of heated air current is mounted in
the cabinet adjacent to and registering with said open bottom.

Claim 9. (previously added) The towel warmer of claim 1 wherein
movement of the said at least one towel support rod is arcuate relative to the frame
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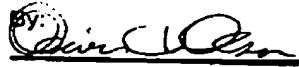
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Claim 10. (previously added) The towel warmer of claim 1 wherein
movement of the said at least one towel support rod is rectilinear relative to the
frame members.

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